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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Erlanson, et al. Docket No.: 39750-0001A
Serial No.: 09/990,421 Group Art Unit: 1639
Filing Date: November 21, 2001 Examiner: Epperson, Jon D.
For: **EXTENDED TETHERING APPROACH FOR RAPID IDENTIFICATION
OF LIGANDS**

MS: Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Transmitted herewith are the following documents for the above-referenced application:

Transmittal;
 Amendment and Response to Office Action dated September 10, 2003;
 Change of Correspondence Address; and
 Authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 08-1641 in the amount of \$740.00 for the request for a 4-month Extension of Time to file.

STATUS

Applicant is

a small entity
 other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TIME

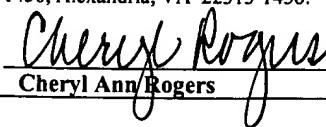
Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)	Fee for other than <u>small entity</u>	Fee for <u>small entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 420.00	\$210.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 950.00	\$475.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,480.00	\$740.00

Fee \$740.00**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.10(a))**

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY "EXPRESS MAIL" - Rule 10: I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited on February 10, 2004 with the U.S. Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" under 37 CFR 1.10 as Express Mail No. EV346725344US, addressed to MS: Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Date: February 10, 2004


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FEE FOR CLAIMS

If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.

An extension for _____ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$_____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$_____

The fee for claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY	<i>OR</i>	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Addit. Fee	Rate	Addit. Fee
Total *	Minus *0*	20	= 0	x9= \$	x18= \$	
Indep. *	Minus *0*	3	=	x40= \$	x80= \$	
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			+130= \$		x260= \$	
				TOTAL ADDIT. FEE \$	<i>OR</i>	TOTAL ADDIT. FEE \$

No additional fee for claims required.

Total additional fee for claims required \$_____.

FEE PAYMENT

Attached is a check in the sum of \$_____ for additional claims fee.

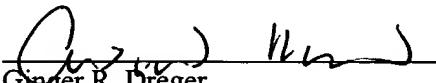
Charge Account No. 08-1641 the sum of \$740.00 for request for 4-month Extension of Time to file.

FEE DEFICIENCY

In the event that: a) no check to cover the filing fee is enclosed, b) any above-referenced check is inadvertently omitted or lost, or c) any enclosed check is in an amount less than or greater than the required fee, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any required fees, additional fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-1641.

Attached is a postcard for date-stamped return as confirmation of receipt of these materials.

Date: February 10, 2004


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